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16 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
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18 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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20 OAKLAND DIVISION

21 DEBORAH GETZ, et al.	) NO. CV 07 6396 CW
	)
22 Plaintiffs,	) <b>AMENDED PETITION AND</b>
	) <b>ORDER FOR APPOINTMENT OF</b>
23 vs.	) <b>GUARDIAN AD LITEM</b>
	)
24 THE BOEING COMPANY, et al.,	)
	)
25 Defendants.	)

26 Petitioner Sophia Duffman states as follows:

- 27 1. I am a minor of the age of 1 year.
- 28 2. I am about to commence an action in this Court against The Boeing Company,  
Honeywell International, Inc., and Goodrich Pump and Engine Control Systems, Inc. for  
causes of action based on the death of my father, Scott Duffman.
3. I have no general guardian and no previous petition for appointment of a

1 guardian ad litem has been granted in this matter.

2 4. Mary Duffman whose address is 808 Skymont Drive, Holly Springs, North  
3 Carolina, 27540, is a competent and responsible person, and fully competent to act as my  
4 guardian ad litem. Mary Duffman is my parent and I am aware of no conflict that exists  
5 regarding her appointment.  
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7 5. Said Mary Duffman is willing to act as guardian ad litem for petitioner, as  
8 appears by her consent attached hereto.

9 WHEREFORE, petitioner moves the Court for an order appointing Mary Duffman  
10 as guardian ad litem of petitioner for the purpose of bringing action against The Boeing  
11 Company, Honeywell International, Inc., and Goodrich Pump and Engine Control  
12 Systems, Inc.  
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14 Dated: June 16, 2008

/s/ Thomas J. Brandi  
THOMAS J. BRANDI  
Attorney for Petitioner Sophia Duffman

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17 **CONSENT OF NOMINEE**

18 I, Mary Duffman, the nominee of Petitioner, consent to act as guardian ad litem for  
19 the minor petitioner in the above action.

20 Dated: May 20, 2008

/s/ Mary Duffman  
Mary Duffman

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23 **ORDER**

24 The petition for an order appointing Mary Duffman as guardian ad litem for  
25 petitioner is GRANTED.

26 Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

The Honorable Claudia Wilken  
United States District Judge